AUDITOR GENERAL (50)

AGENCY PLAN: STATEMENT OF PURPOSE, GOALS AND BUDGET SUMMARY

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:

The mission of the Office of the Auditor General (OAG) is to act as an independent, full-service appraisal function to examine and evaluate the City's activities in order to improve the accountability for public funds and to improve the operations of City government. We promote the economy, efficiency, and effectiveness of City government, and protect against fraud, waste, and abuse, by conducting independent audits, investigations, and evaluations; by adhering to the professional standards of the auditing profession; and by promoting an atmosphere of mutual trust, honesty, and integrity among OAG staff and the people we serve.

AGENCY FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

2005-06 <u>Requested</u> \$ 3,011,473	City Appropriations	2004-05 <u>Budget</u> \$ 3,095,475	2005-06 <u>Recommended</u> \$ 2,095,775	Increase (<u>Decrease</u>) \$ (999,700)
\$ 3,011,473	Total Appropriations	\$ 3,095,475	\$ 2,095,775	\$ (999,700)
\$ 173,000 \$ 173,000	City Revenues Total Revenues	\$ 240,000 \$ 240,000	\$ 173,000 \$ 173,000	\$ (67,000) \$ (67,000)
\$ 2,838,473	NET TAX COST:	\$ 2,855,475	\$ 1,922,775	\$ (932,700)

AGENCY EMPLOYEE STATISTICS:

2005-06		2004-05	04-01-05	2005-06	Increase
Requested		<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Recommended	(Decrease)
<u>23</u>	City Positions	<u>23</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>(2)</u>
23	Total Positions	23	18	21	(2)

ACTIVITIES IN THIS AGENCY:

	2004-05	2005-06	Increase (Decrease)	
	<u>Budget</u>	Recommended		
Auditing Operations	\$ 3,095,475	\$ 2,095,775	\$ (999,700)	
Total Appropriations	\$ 3,095,475	\$ 2,095,775	\$ (999,700)	

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AUDITING OPERATIONS ACTIVITY INFORMATION

ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION: AUDITING OPERATIONS

The OAG performs audits of each City agency and prepares written reports that convey the resultant audit findings and recommendations to the City Council, the Mayor, and the management of each agency.

The OAG also performs special projects, risk management evaluations and other work, as requested by City Council, as initiated internally, or as required by City Code. Many of these projects result in formal reports or other communications to City Council. The Office also analyzes the Mayor's proposed City budget for City Council each fiscal year.

The annual financial audits of the City and its Federal financial assistance programs are performed by qualified outside auditors hired by the Office of the Auditor General.

GOALS:

- 1. Improve the auditing and consulting capabilities of the OAG staff.
- 2. Improve the quality and timeliness of audit reports.
- 3. Complete a minimum of forty-three audits, investigations, or special projects.
- 4. Identify opportunities for expense savings and increased revenues

MAJOR INITIATIVES FOR FY 2005-06:

The Office of the Auditor General's major initiatives planned for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006 include a comprehensive review of the City's risk management process and the development of a strategic plan for the City of Detroit. The Office will also implement office wide utilization of electronic audit working papers to achieve and gain greater audit efficiency.

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE FOR FY 2005-06, FY 2006-07 and BEYOND

Among the issues confronting the Office of the Auditor General are the inadequate number of qualified auditors, the difficulty in attracting experienced auditors, and the low level of productivity by some auditors due to the inexperience of the audit staff. The Auditor General will continue to attract, train, supervise and motivate auditors, in order to meet our Charter mandate and the goals established for the year.

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AUDITING OPERATIONS MEASURES AND TARGETS

Type of Performance Measures:	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
List of Measures	Actual	Actual	Projection	Target
Outputs: Units of Activity directed toward Goals				
Reports on Audits of Financial Transactions	0	12	15	23
Reports Issued	0	9	27	20
Claims hearing	136	71	91	91
PLD Contract Reviews	N/A	71	66	10
Risk Management Evaluations	N/A	0	2	12
Activity Costs	\$3,254,516	\$2,726,122	\$3,095,475	\$2,095,775

CITY OF DETROIT AUDITOR GENERAL (50)

Financial Detail by Appropriation and Organization

Administration & General Office	_	2004-05 Redbook		2005-06 Dept Final Request		2005-06 Mayor's Budget Rec	
Auditing Operations	FTE	AMOUNT	FTE	AMOUNT	FTE	AMOUNT	
APPROPRIATION ORGANIZATION							
00261 - Auditing Operations							
500010 - Administration & General Office	5	\$855,746	5	\$872,607	5	\$689,425	
500020 - Auditing-Operations	16	\$2,046,244	16	\$1,953,192	15	\$1,329,483	
APPROPRIATION TOTAL	21	\$2,901,990	21	\$2,825,799	20	\$2,018,908	
11195 - Risk Management Council							
500095 - Risk Management Council	2	\$193,485	2	\$185,674	1	\$76,867	
APPROPRIATION TOTAL	2	\$193,485	2	\$185,674	1	\$76,867	
ACTIVITY TOTAL	23	\$3,095,475	23	\$3,011,473	21	\$2,095,775	

CITY OF DETROIT Budget Development for FY 2005-2006 Appropriations - Summary Objects

	2004-05 Redbook	2005-06 Dept Final	2005-06 Mayor's	
		Request	Budget Rec	
AC0550 - Auditing Operations				
A50000 - Auditor General				
SALWAGESL - Salary & Wages	1,410,297	1,455,459	1,065,731	
EMPBENESL - Employee Benefi	919,157	1,026,132	622,562	
PROFSVCSL - Professional/Cont	566,933	340,000	253,000	
OPERSUPSL - Operating Supplic	13,800	17,600	17,600	
OPERSVCSL - Operating Service	153,868	159,282	136,138	
CAPEQUPSL - Capital Equipmen	22,420	4,000	744	
OTHEXPSSL - Other Expenses	9,000	9,000	0	
A50000 - Auditor General	3,095,475	3,011,473	2,095,775	
AC0550 - Auditing Operations	3,095,475	3,011,473	2,095,775	
Grand Total	3,095,475	3,011,473	2,095,775	

CITY OF DETROIT Budget Development for FY 2005-2006 Appropriation Summary - Revenues

	2003-04 Actuals	2004-05 Redbook	2005-06 Dept Final Request	_000	Variance
A50000 - Auditor General					
00261 - Auditing Operations					
449125 - Personal Services	193,977	240,000	173,000	173,000	(67,000)
00261 - Auditing Operations	193,977	240,000	173,000	173,000	(67,000)
A50000 - Auditor General	193,977	240,000	173,000	173,000	(67,000)
Grand Total	193,977	240,000	173,000	173,000	(67,000)

CITY OF DETROIT MAYOR'S 2005/2006 RECOMMENDED BUDGET

Auditor General

Appropriation Organization	REDBOOK FY 2004 2005 FTE	DEPT REQUEST FY 2005 2006 FTE	MAYORS FY 2005 2006 FTE
Classification			
00182 - Investigation of Complaints			
500010 - Administration & General Office			
Manager II - Auditor General	0	0	0
Assistant Ombudsman - GD III	0	0	0
Total Administration & General Office	0	0	0
Total Investigation of Complaints	0	0	0
00261 - Auditing Operations			
500010 - Administration & General Office			
Auditor General	1	1	1
Deputy Auditor General	1	1	1
Chief Auditor	1	1	1
Executive Secretary III	1	1	1
Office Assistant III	1	1	1
Total Administration & General Office	5	5	5
500020 - Auditing-Operations			
Manager II - Auditor General	2	2	1
Senior Auditor	6	6	6
Auditor	8	8	8
Total Auditing-Operations	16	16	15
Total Auditing Operations	21	21	20
11195 - Risk Management Council			
500095 - Risk Management Council			
Auditor	2	2	1
Total Risk Management Council	2	2	1
Total Risk Management Council	2	2	1
Agency Total	23	23	21